

10/505561

DT15 Rec'd PCT/PTO 23 AUG 2004

[11839/32]

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Inventor(s) : Rainer SCHAENZEL  
Serial No. : To Be Assigned  
Filed : Herewith  
For : RACK-AND-PINION STEERING SYSTEM FOR MOTOR  
VEHICLES  
Examiner : To Be Assigned  
Art Unit : To Be Assigned

Mail Stop PCT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND**  
**37 C.F.R. § 1.125 SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION STATEMENT**

SIR:

Kindly amend the above-captioned application before examination, as set forth below.

**Amendments to the Title** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE TITLE:**

Please replace the Title with the following replacement Title:

--RACK-AND-PINION STEERING SYSTEM FOR MOTOR VEHICLES--